

MAY 23 2007

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP: 1714

32692

Customer Number

Patent
Case No.: 59489US002

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

First Named Inventor: PETRIN, JASON T.

Application No.: 10/748095

Confirmation No.: 6935

Filed: December 30, 2003

Title: LATEX PAINT COMPOSITIONS AND COATINGS

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116Mail Stop A1
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION [37 CFR § 1.8(a)]	
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being:	
<input type="checkbox"/>	deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	transmitted by facsimile on the date shown below to the United States Patent and Trademark Office at 571-273-8300.
Date <u>May 23, 2007</u>	Signed by: <u>Joyce M. Courtney</u> <i>4 pages</i>

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTION

This is in response to the Advisory Action dated May 17, 2007, in which Applicants' Amendment and Response dated April 16, 2007, was deemed non-compliant because the amended paragraph in the specification did not include markings. Applicants note with appreciation that the obviousness-type double patenting rejection was deemed overcome by the April 16 reply which included a terminal disclaimer.

This paper resubmits the requested amendment to the specification in compliant form.